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NAVAIR INSTRUCTION 4900.2

From: Commander, Naval Air Systems Command

Subj: ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NAVAL AIR SYSTEMS COMMAND
INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS WORKING GROUP

Ref: (a) NAVAIRINST 5400.1B
(b) NAVAIRINST 5400.108
(c) NAVAIRINST 5400.14C
(d) Operating Agreement between the Commander, Naval Air Systems Command and the Naval Aviation Program Executive Officers

Encl: (1) NAVAIR International Programs Working Group
(2) International Support Efforts

1. Purpose. To establish the Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR) International Programs Working Group, a structure to focus and control international programs within NAVAIR, associated naval aviation program executive officer (PEO) organizations, and direct reporting program managers (DRPM's).

2. Background. For efficiency, the Commander, Naval Air Systems Command (COMNAVAIR) recognized a requirement to establish a NAVAIR management focus which addresses all international program matters and makes it possible to provide a coordinated and well-staffed Command position. An active focus on international program issues will provide domestic program benefits from foreign military sales (FMS) and other cooperative efforts.

3. Responsibilities. The NAVAIR International Programs Working Group (enclosure (1)) is responsible for:

a. Maintaining an overview on Naval Aviation Systems Team international program elements.

b. Facilitating the development of international program strategy and initiatives.

c. Coordinating matrix responses to international program requirements and initiatives.

d. Coordinating International Programs Working Group support efforts (enclosure (2)) for NAVAIR, PEO's, and DRPM's.



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e. Promoting actions with respect to international agreements (Memoranda of Understanding, Memoranda of Agreement, Data Exchange Agreements, Information Exchange Projects) and cooperative efforts (codevelopment and co-production).

f. Promoting projects for Foreign Comparative Testing and North Atlantic Treaty Organization Cooperative Programs.

g. Evaluating proposed NAVAIR policy changes and resource allocations for impact with respect to international programs.

h. Focusing available resources on candidate programs with highest potential return to naval aviation.

4. Staffing and Organization

a. The NAVAIR Deputy Acquisition Executive (AIR-01A), in addition to current responsibilities, is designated International Programs Executive, reporting directly to the Deputy Commander for Acquisition and Operations (AIR-01) and ultimately to COMNAVAIR.

b. AIR-01A is assisted by a Coordinator for International Programs.

c. In addition to Defense Security Assistance Division (AIR-103) duties, AIR-103 will serve as Deputy International Programs Executive.

5. Specific Interface and Operating Relationships

a. AIR-01A will represent and facilitate staffing the NAVAIR position on international program elements to the Navy International Programs Office, Navy Comptroller, Defense Security Assistance Agency, and other organizations as appropriate.

b. The NAVAIR International Programs Working Group is, however, established within the following ground rules:

(1) Additional organizational layering is specifically not intended.

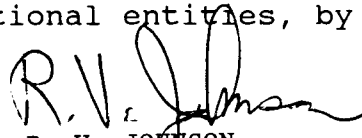
(2) Existing direct relationships (e.g., AIR-103 and Head, Security and Law Enforcement Office (AIR-07T) with the Navy International Programs Office) are not changed.

(3) Full coordination will be maintained with the PEO's and program managers. No actions that directly or indirectly affect the PEO's and program managers will be taken without their concurrence.

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c. All elements of NAVAIR Headquarters will provide support to AIR-01A, following references (a), (b), and (c). AIR-01A is authorized direct liaison with all NAVAIR Headquarters divisions and directorates in the exercise of responsibilities. Support of PEO organizations is governed by reference (d).

d. Direct liaison with all NAVAIR field activities is authorized. Work assignments to field activities will be coordinated with appropriate functional entities, by established procedures.


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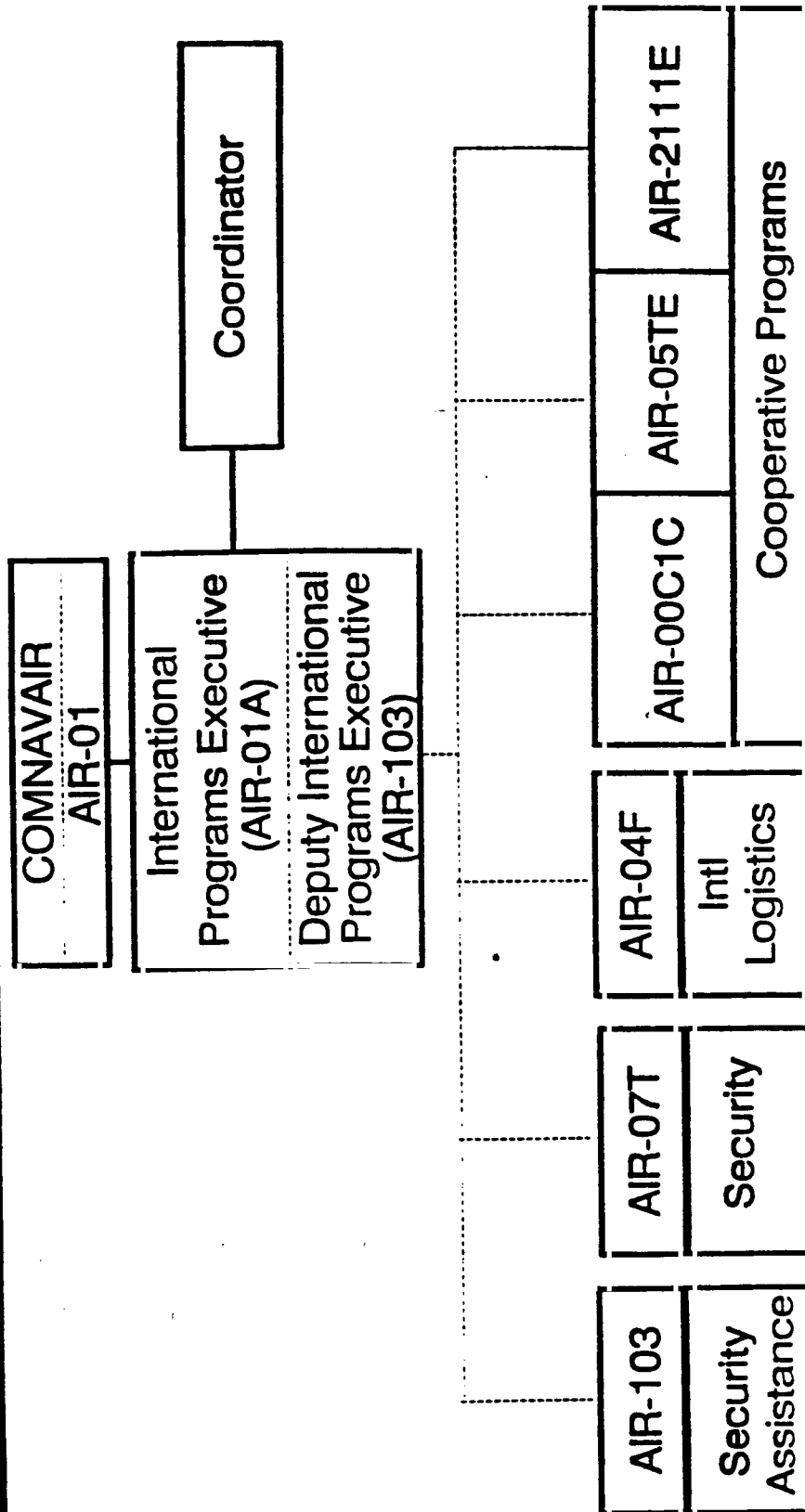
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - FMS - Military Assistance Program (MAP) - Foreign Military Funding (FMF) Program - International Military Education and Training (IMET) Program - Special Defense Acquisition Fund (SDAF) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Technology Transfer - Releasability - Foreign Disclosure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - MOU/MOA - Data Exchange Agreements (DEAs) - Information Exchange Projects (IEPs) - Foreign Comparative Testing (FCT) - Quayle - Nunn Funding - Codevelopment - Coproduction
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